## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

## FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEW MEXICO

JIM R. HUNTER, Personal Representative of the estate of Robert C. Ramsey, deceased,

Plaintiff,

v. No. 11-cv-0954 SMV

ADMINISTRATOR OF THE LUNA COUNTY
DETENTION CENTER;
LUNA COUNTY DETENTION CENTER;
BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, LUNA COUNTY,
DEMING, NEW MEXICO;
LUNA COUNTY MANAGER;
JOHN DOES, unknown;
JANE DOES, unknown; and
OFFICERS OF LUNA COUNTY DETENTION CENTER,

Defendants.

## MEMORANDUM OPINION AND ORDER DENYING AS MOOT DEFENDANT LUNA COUNTY DETENTION CENTER AND LUNA COUNTY MANAGER'S MOTION TO DISMISS PLAINTIFF'S COMPLAINT

THIS MATTER is before the Court on Defendant Luna County Detention Center and Luna County Manager's Motion to Dismiss Plaintiff's Complaint [Doc. 34], Defendants Luna County Manager and Luna County Detention Center's Memorandum in Support of Their Motion to Dismiss Plaintiff's Complaint (Doc. 1-2) Pursuant to Rule 12(b)(6) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure [Doc. 35], and Errata to Defendant Luna County Manager and Luna County Detention Center's Memorandum in Support of Motion to Dismiss (Doc. 35) [Doc. 36] (collectively "Motion to Dismiss"). On May 1, 2012, Plaintiff filed Plaintiff's Memorandum in Response to Defendant Board of County Commissioners [sic] and Luna County Manager's Motion to Dismiss Plaintiff's Complaint [Doc. 37]. On May 14, 2012, Defendants Luna County Detention Center and Luna

County Administrator filed their Memorandum in Reply Concerning Defendant Luna County

Manager and Luna County Detention Center's Motion to Dismiss (Doc[s]. 34, 35) [Doc. 39].

On May 24, 2012, the Court filed its Memorandum Opinion and Order Granting County's

Motion to Dismiss and Granting in Part and Denying in Part Plaintiff's Motion to Amend Complaint

[Doc. 42]. The Court granted Plaintiff's motion for leave to amend his Complaint with respect to

all Defendants except the Board of County Commissioners. Id. at 21. Because the Motion to

Dismiss challenges the allegations made in the original Complaint and not the forthcoming First

Amended Complaint, it is moot.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED that Defendant Luna

County Detention Center and Luna County Manager's Motion to Dismiss Plaintiff's Complaint

[Doc. 34] is **DENIED** as moot. Nothing herein shall prevent Defendants from filing a motion to

dismiss in response to the First Amended Complaint.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

STEPHAN M. VIDMAR

**United States Magistrate Judge** 

**Presiding by Consent**